

Claims

1. Method for providing multiple session description protocol media flows for one packet data protocol context, comprising the steps of:

- sending a session initiated protocol message comprising an indication that a particular session description protocol media flow can be combined with further session description protocol media flows in a single packet data protocol context, from a packet-cscf to a user equipment,
- receiving said message in the user equipment,
- interpreting the indicator,
- selecting a packet data protocol context, and
- sending a set-up request message for setting up said packet data protocol context comprising an authorisation token and identifiers of session description protocol media flows.

2. Method according to claim 1, wherein the indication is sent from a home network of the user equipment to a visited network wherein the user equipment is currently located and is cached in said visited network before it is sent to the user equipment.

3. Method according to claim 2, wherein the indication conveys information whether the home network requires policing for each media flow, counting of packets per media flow, or flow independent policing.

4. User equipment comprising electronic circuitry adapted to interpret an indication received that a particular session description protocol media flow can be combined with further session description protocol media flows in a single packet data protocol context, a selection unit for selecting further media flows that can be combined with the particular session description protocol media flow and a processing unit adapted to control the user equipment and to initiate a sending of a set-up request message comprising an authorisation token and identifiers of session description protocol media flows.

5. Packet-Call state control function adapted to send a message comprising an indication that a particular session description protocol media flow can be combined with further session description protocol media flows in a single packet data protocol context.
- 5 6. Gateway general packet radio service support node adapted to enforce a policy for handling a set-up request for a packet data protocol context wherein a single session description protocol media flow shall be combined with further session description protocol media flows, the policy received from a packet call state control function.